

St. Patrick's Parish
Slane & Monknewtown

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Sunday April 9th – Palm Sunday

Sunday: Year A Weekdays: Cycle 1

Mass Times Saturday 8th April – Sunday 16th April

MASS	TIME	INTENTION/FEAST
Saturday Vigil Mass	7.00pm	Maureen Dunne (<i>Months Mind</i>). Josie Downey. Joe Owens. Thomas Tallon.
Sunday Monknewtown	9.30am	James, Mary & deceased members of the Lane family.
Sunday Slane	11.00am	Bridie Campbell. Bert Gough.
Tuesday	8.45am	
Wednesday	8.45am	Emmanuel McWilliams. Roberta O'Halloran.
<u>Holy Thursday</u> Slane	8.00pm	Mass of the Lord's Supper Peggy Martyn.
Monknewtown	3.00pm	Stations & Veneration of the Cross. <i>Day of fast & Abstinence!</i>
<u>Good Friday</u> Slane	8.30pm	The Passion of the Lord.
<u>Holy Saturday</u>	8.00pm	Easter Fire on the Hill of Slane.
<u>Easter Vigil</u>	8.30pm	Celebration of The Resurrection Eithne & Paul Griffin.
<u>Easter Sunday</u>	9.30am	Tom & Babs Brien. Carmel Gaffrey.
<u>Easter Sunday</u>	11.00am	Edward & Kieran Markey.

Spend a little time in Adoration of the Blessed Eucharist in **St. Erc's Oratory** every Monday 9.30am until 7.00pm or in **Monknewtown Church** every Wednesday 5.00pm until 8.00pm.

Baptism: For booking please contact the Parochial House.

Confessions: Saturdays after 10.00am and 7.00pm Masses on request.

We are on the Air! Tune in to all the ceremonies in Slane Church on 107.3FM!

† Please Pray for Oliver Carolan, Beauparc recently deceased. R.I.P.

Collections: 2nd April: Envelopes; € 650 Baskets; €1,095

A **Cake Sale** will be held in The Youth Café after 11.00am Mass on Easter Sunday to help raise funds for the **Youth Trad Group**. Pop in for a cuppa & a bun!

Confessions in St. Mary's Church, Navan in preparation for Easter.

Tuesday– 11 April, 8.00am-11.00pm. Service of Penance & Reconciliation at 8.00pm. **Holy Saturday- 15th April,** 12.00noon – 4.00pm.

“They took branches of palm & went out to receive him, shouting ‘Hosanna! Blessed is he who is coming in the name of the Lord, the king of Israel.’” John, 12:13. The palm is a symbol of peace & on this Palm Sunday we pray for the millions of people around the world who are affected by conflict & have had to flee their home to face an uncertain future. Trocaire is working in areas of conflict to help people have a chance of a better future. Find more on the Lenten campaign at www.trocaire.org/lent

On Easter Monday, there is a **Walk from Navan to the Hill of Slane**. This walk is to coincide with the celebrations of “**Cruinniu Na Casca**” on the theme of diversity & inclusion. So, come along & walk & sing from Navan to Hill of Slane. Meet at the Ramparts in Navan at 9.30am.

On Easter Tuesday, April 18th gather at the statue of **St. Patrick on the Hill of Tara** at 9.30am to walk to **St. Columban's, Dalgan Park**. Get into the Easter mood by walking as people of the Resurrection.

The Slane GAA Club annual church gate collection will take place at all Masses on Saturday 15th & Sunday 16th April.

On Sunday 9th April at 3.00pm, **Pianist Billy O'Brien** returns to Dalgan Park & will play works by Bach, Ravel & Janacek. Tickets (available on the day) cost €15, students €5. Proceeds go to the Columban Missions.

A Bus to the **Chrism Mass** in Mullingar Cathedral on Wednesday 12th April will depart Slane Church carpark at 5.00pm. To book a place call 087-6970421.

The UN has said that with **20 million people** facing starvation in Africa, the world is facing the greatest humanitarian crisis since the Second World War. **Trocaire** is working in Somalia, South Sudan, Kenya and Ethiopia to support thousands of people facing famine in the coming months.

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